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RE	QUEST FOR CONTINUED EXA	MINATION (RC	E) TRANSMITTAL	
		Application No.	09/576,676	
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This is a Re	quest for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37	C.F.R. § 1.114 of the abov	e-identified application.	
RCE v. CPA: 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 is effective on May 29, 2000. If the above-identified application was filed prior to May 29, 2000, applicant may wish to consider filing a continued prosecution application (CPA) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(d) instead of a RCE to be eligible for the patent term adjustment provisions of the AIPA. FEE AND SUBMISSION REQUIRED: A submission as used in this section includes, but is not limited to, an information disclosure statement, an amendment to the written description, claims, or drawings, new arguments, or new evidence in support of patentability. If reply to an Office action under 35 U.S.C. 132 is outstanding, the submission must meet the reply requirements of § 1.111 (see 37 C.F.R. 1.114 (c)). RCE APPLIES TO: An application in which prosecution is closed (see 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 (b)). RCE DOES NOT APPLY TO: (1), A provisional application; (2) an application for a utility or plant patent filed under 35 U.S.C. 11(a) before June 8, 1995; (3) an international application filed under 35 U.S.C. 363 before June 8, 1995; (4) an application for a design patent; or (5) a patent under reexamination (see 37 C.F.R. § 1.114(e)). 1. SUBMISSION REQUIRED UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 a Enter and consider the unentered amendment under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 previously filed on b Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on c Amendment/Response enclosed. d Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s) enclosed. i PTO-1449 ii Copies of IDS Citations f Other				
2. RCE FEE REQUIRED UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.114				
a.	Small entity status was established in the prior nonprovisio is established herewith by the enclosed of A Petition and Fee for Extension of Time for the herewith. A check in the amount of \$\$1810.00 is enclosed to the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge 1700. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to credit	written assertion of entitlemee months up to and included. d. ge the required fee(s), i.e., \$	ing <u>February 5, 2006</u> is enclosed, to Deposit Account No.07-	
	submission under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 and 1.17 to			

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